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Price: \$2.00 Per Year.

## United Church

Church School, 2 p.m.  
Public Worship, 7:30 p.m.  
The choir will provide special music:  
Leland Hall, 2:00 p.m.  
Social Plains, 8:30 p.m.  
Text—"Now after that Jesus was put into prison, Jesus came into Galilee preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God."  
You can live as good a Christian out of the church as in it. But do you?  
Rev. Geo. A. Shields,  
Minister.

J. Herman, of the Herman Motors, Bindles, was a visitor to our office Wednesday.

## NOTICE

**Elite Delicatessen**  
for  
**Christmas Cakes and Pastries**  
and  
Good Things To Eat  
We would be pleased to have your business for Christmas goodies.

## Curfers Form Their Rinks

A meeting of the Empress Curling Club took place at R. Pool's store on Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of forming the rinks. Altogether ten rinks have been formed, and it will not be long now before the curling season will be in progress.

## Change of Dates

Notice to picture show patrons: We beg to state that date set for showing of "The Tempest" has been transferred to January 17 and 18 in place of December 13 and 14.

## The Empress BAKERY

Get Your Bread, Cakes and Pastry from us. Town Deliveries made if required.  
Broad 10c. a Loaf

**MURRAY**  
The Baker

## Many People Attend the Blessing and Dedication Services At Catholic Church

Members of Other Denominations Are Thanked by Father Greene for Their Attendance

The Blessing and Dedication Services of the new Catholic Church, took place on Sunday, December 1. In spite of the fact that people from the south side of the river could not get here owing to no crossing being available, the church was filled to capacity at both morning and afternoon services, people from the country for many miles around attending. The services were conducted by the Rev. Father Greene of Calgary, (who is well known throughout the west for his radio messages which are broadcast every Friday), assisted by Rev. Jos. Sullivan, of Red Deer, Rev. Peter Sullivan of Grande Allee, and Rev. Father Leo Sullivan.

Father Greene spoke on the work that had been accomplished by Father Sullivan, since residing at Empress; the beauty of the building and the work done by the contractor; and how much more was needed. He also told his audience the use of the church and what it stood for and the sacredness of the altar and the furnishings. He then delivered his spiritual message. The blessing and dedication took place previously with the sprinkling of holy water and other sacred rites. Frank Lydman acted as soloist, while Norman Chell was organist and Pete Spappen played the violin.

At the afternoon service at 3 p.m., solemn benediction and blessed sacrament took place.

The dinner served in the basement of the Church between services was very largely attended.

The report of the Central Selling Agency showed that the carryover from the 1928 crop year to be a little over 48 million bushels of wheat. The Canadian Pool handled 353,102, 585 bushels of wheat during the 1928-29 crop year. Of this total 108,140,608 bushels were exported to 19 countries.

Do not forget that in connection with the picture show on Saturday, Lionel, the Magician will appear with one hour of bewildering mysteries. A never-to-be-forgotten event. Bring the family. Admission, 75c. and 25c. Show will commence promptly at 8 o'clock.

## Organize Married

### Peoples' Club

A meeting took place in the theatre at 8 p.m. on Tuesday evening for the purpose of organizing a Married Peoples Club. Some forty persons were present and signified their desire that such a club be formed. It is proposed that a series of seven meetings be held. A fee of 50c. each person for each meeting is to be charged. Officers were elected and the date of the first meeting is set for Dec. 17. The programme will consist of progressive five hundred and dancing. The evening's entertainment will commence promptly at 8:15. All members and intending members should make it a point to be there at the appointed time.

## "Honeymoon Abroad"

### A Rollicking Comedy

One of the stiffest races ever run took place in the making of "Honeymoon Abroad," a World Wide Picture which will be shown at the Empress Theatre this week. The race was staged in a street in London, between Monty Banks, star of the picture, and a taxi cab. Monty was in such a hurry to follow his kidnapped bride, that he fell out of the door when the taxi started. He ran nineteen blocks before he caught up with the cab, and then only when it had reached the door of the address he sought. Despite his long run it did not save him his taxi fare. Monty is supported by Gillian Dean in this rollicking comedy travesty, which was directed by Tim Whelan, formerly with Harold Lloyd.

## Gasoline Distilled From Coal

Ottawa.—Research officers here are told of the successful manufacture of fuel substitute for gasoline in England, which if it fulfills promises, is likely to prove an important factor in developing the bituminous coal resources of Canada.

This fuel is a product obtained from bituminous coal by distillation process and when used in gas generators is said to produce a gas which, in an internal combustion engine, provides the motive power as well as petrol.

Tests over a considerable period with heavy coal vehicles produced by producer gas, it is claimed, have proved conclusively that gas made from synthetic charcoal is an economic fuel.

## Bazaar Is A Success

The annual bazaar and tea held by the Ladies' Aid of the United Church in the Sunday School room on Saturday afternoon, was a pleasing success. A good patronage was enjoyed for the articles placed on sale.

## ADENOIDS

Behind the nose and above there is normally, in every child, adenoid tissue. If this tissue becomes enlarged, we say that the child has adenoids. The adenoid tissue is similar in many ways, to the tonsils. Adenoids are a disease of childhood. Enlargement or disease, or a combination of both, is responsible for certain abnormal conditions.

Among these abnormal conditions, we find obstruction to nasal breathing. Depending upon the extent of the obstruction, the child becomes more or less a mouth breather, and, if this condition persists, the jaw begins to drop, the cheeks become sunken, and the result is the typical adenoid "fishy" face, with its dull expression.

When there is obstruction to nasal breathing, such as results from adenoids, there occurs a deformity of the jaws, and this, in turn, brings about irregular teeth. The jaws of the child are soft in and in process of development. It does not require much nasal obstruction to alter them and to cause undue or less serious permanent damage.

Infection, when present in the adenoid tissue, is more than likely to spread into the ears and set up inflammation there which may result in loss of hearing, in varying degrees. The reason for this is because of the fact that there is a small tube—the Eustachian tube—which connects the ear with the back of the nose and throat. It is unfortunately, a simple matter for infection to spread down this tube; hence the frequency of ear disease as a result of adenoids.

The child with adenoids does not get a fair chance for mental development. He has the same feeling as he would have if he were living in a stuffy, unventilated room, and we know from common experience, that this suffices to make anyone dull and lazy.

## IT IS COLD

riding in an open car

Why not have your curtains repaired.  
Glass always on hand.  
SEE  
CHAS. CREMON  
at the Harness Shop.

## Fuego Oil Co. Are Erecting Derrick For Well No. 2

A report from the Fuego Oil Co. is that owing to saving of trucks caused by gas pressure they have been compelled to purchase another string of casing. This is on its way and is expected to be unloaded in a few days. This will also enable them to go much deeper with this well if deemed advisable to do so. Erection of the derrick for Well No. 2 was commenced on December 4.

## Notes From The Annual Meeting Alberta Wheat Pool

The past year has been one of marked progress for the Alberta Wheat Pool. The annual report shows an increase in membership during the year of 5,819. Total membership at October 31st, 1929, was 40,915, with 4,265,309 acres under contract.

The cost of operating the Alberta Wheat Pool during the past year was a little over half a cent a bushel, or a total of \$549,068.89. The handlings of wheat totalled 67,444,850 bushels.

The delegates assembled at the annual meeting expressed themselves as opposed to a compulsory pool by an overwhelming vote. A resolution was passed, making the objective of the voluntary pool 100 per cent. of the grain growers of the province and urging that every effort be made to obtain that desired end.

Adenoids, therefore, obstruct natural breathing, tend to deform the jaw, are responsible for ear disease and deafness, and handicap the child in his mental development. There is only one thing to do with adenoids and that is to remove them.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Can. Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

## Now Is The Time

Renew or  
Subscribe  
TO  
The Local Paper

"Be loyal to your community"

RENEW  
See Us for Clubbing Offers

## Empress Theatre

### THIS WEEK

Would You Kiss the Miss--Or  
Miss The Kiss?

If She Were Sitting On Your Knees  
and Snuggled Up Close and Her Mouth  
Was All Puckered Up for a Kiss  
And just then hubby sneaked in--"What  
would YOU do?"

**"Honeymoon  
Abroad"**

A Passed "U" Picture  
Friday Night At Usual Prices

## PARKE, DAVIS & CO.'S GERMICIDAL SOAP

Mild 100% Kills disease germs, removes and prevents Dandruff, destroys the odor of Perspiration, Cleanses Gums and keeps them free from infection. The Soap of a Hundred Uses.

## EMPRESS DRUG CO.

First agents for: Swift Current, Medicine Hat, Calgary, Saskatoon and Regina and Edmonton Florists. We order from the nearest point.



## HIGH GRADE COAL

That's the kind you want. That's the kind we handle. We sell a grade of Stove Coal that burns freely under draft, and produces big heat when properly regulated. The best stove coal on the market—\$4.00 a ton. For best coal values call up or call on

The Empress Lumber Yards  
J.N. ANDERSON, prop

## Christmas Goods

We have now on display a very choice selection of useful and beautiful goods for gifting. Our collection is well varied and you will be surprised at the choiceness of our Christmas Goods Stock.

### Gifts for Ladies to Wear

Coats, Dresses, Scarfs, Bloomers, Brevities, Pyjamas, Vests, Wool Sweaters, Silk and Cotton Hosiery, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, etc. You will like these goods.

### Mens' and Boy's Goods

Practical and Useful Gifts. Our selection includes Ties, Handkerchiefs, Scarfs, Belts, Braces, Arm bands, Garter Socks, Shirts, Sweaters, Gloves, Suits, etc. You must see these goods to appreciate them.

The Standard Clothing Company

## BE SURE and leave your orders for Personal Greeting Cards EARLY!

to avoid disappointment. See our BOXES OF ASSORTED CARDS, TAGS and SEALS. We also have a very nice Assortment of Cards and Folders at from 5c. up.

The Empress Express

## Try this flavoury blend when next you order tea



'Fresh from the gardens'

### The Problem of Narcotics

The evil of narcotics is one that strikes both directly and indirectly at the home. There are about 8,000 drug addicts, or dope fiends, as they are more commonly called, in Canada. They consume, and here is an even more startling figure, about \$80,000 worth of drugs every day.

The danger from the widespread use of narcotics in Canada, is that drug addicts breed drug addicts; each one is an agency of evil who will try to pull other victims into the mire in which he finds himself.

The four main drugs that have assailed Canada are opium, morphine, cocaine and heroin. Opium is the juice of the white poppy, cultivated mainly in Hindustan and Asiatic Turkey, and thickened by evaporation.

Opium would not be so important to us, but for the fact that other drugs are used most extensively in Canada, come from opium.

About one hundred and twenty-five years ago, a French chemist found that he could produce another drug, morphine, which was named after the god of sleep, Morpheus, from opium.

Sixty-five years later another chemist, this one an Austrian, found by experimenting with cocoa leaves that he could produce cocaine.

Just thirty years ago, a German chemist found he could take from opium still another drug, which was called heroin. It is three or four times stronger than morphine, and is blamed largely for the increase in drug usage on this continent since the war. At first heroin was not believed to be habit-forming, and was used on that assumption. But two years after its discovery, it was found to be as bad, if not worse, in getting a grip on its victim. It has been renounced by the medical profession as not at all necessary for their purpose. But it continues in use throughout the world, a dangerous drug, without any redeeming feature or excuse for its existence.

All these three drugs, morphine, cocaine and heroin, are white powders, bitter to the taste and soluble in water. All are deleterious, both mentally and physically. The habitual use of any of them will bring death with inevitable certainty. Opium is the slowest to kill, morphine, the next, while heroin is the most rapid of all.

For example, to compare the drug habit with the liquor habit: five ounces of alcohol is considered a fatal dose. Five ounces of morphine taken at one time will kill fifteen hundred men.

Chemistry has given us these drugs, and passed them on to the medical profession. The doctors used them, with the exception of heroin, to assuage pain. But mankind was not satisfied with the use of these drugs to spread to people who did not need them. Now the combined wisdom of chemistry, medicine, and governments, is not sufficient to strike down the devil.

There are fantastic stories at times of people who have become drug addicts because they were given one of these drugs in a time of need, and that one administration made them addicts. Those are very rare cases, and hardly need to be taken into consideration. The use of drugs is spread about almost entirely by people who profit greatly by creating other addicts.

Thousands of tons of poisonous drugs are consumed every year by the human race. Less than one per cent. of the total consumption is necessary for the medicinal purpose.

Before heroin came into such general use, adults were, in the main, the only addicts. The dealers in heroin, however, recruit among their customers young children. The average age of the heroin addict is about 22 years of age, which means that there must have been addicted some years before he was twenty.

Again to compare the drug habit with the liquor habit: It takes some time of regular drinking before a youth becomes a regular drunkard. Not so with heroin. An ounce of heroin can make two thousand addicts within a week. As well as that, a drunkard sometimes serves as a useful example to his fellow drinkers, while the heroin addict is a general rule, he will advise others to keep away from the stimulant that caused his downfall. Not so the heroin addict. He begins right away to drag others into the net. He is used as a recruiting agent for the operators who are seeking the money. The more heroin he gets the more he craves. He is left in order to get more of it, he must introduce more customers. And so the peril spreads.

### Airing a Grievance

### Protection For Miners

Getting Irritation Out Of Your System Makes You Feel Better. There is wisdom in letting people talk out the grievances. There is no other way to get rid of them. That is the reason why democracy thrives through free speech. If people have a grievance, let them talk it out. If they have a gripe, let them express it. Repression makes irritations to become a poison. If you are wise, you will never seek to keep a man from expressing his irritations at a fellow man. Moreover, if you are really wise, you will understand how to deal with people who have a grievance. Let them get it out and they will have an opportunity to deal with their hearts after their emotions have had opportunity to express themselves.

System Supplying Men With Money. The price of free charge. The "tip" that of war days has found its peace time career in serving as a protective headgear for miners. D. G. Sinclair, chief inspector of the Ontario Department of Mines, who has advocated the use of the helmets by miners, has reported that many have been saved recently by them. Several mining companies are supplying miners with the "iron derbies" free of charge.

Cheating Gun is exported from the United States to more than 75 countries.

Having taken out his pilot's certificate, a young Prince of Wales is on his way before he becomes a king.

Preserving Old Windmills. Germany is preserving its old windmills because of their historic value and their picturesque touch to the scenery. To raise funds for their preservation many windmills have been fitted up as rest houses, where young people on walking tours can get a night's lodging at a low rate.

Exporting Electricity. Electricity is exported from Canada only by license granted by the Electricity and Gas Inspection Service of the Department of Trade and Commerce, and the same license is required for the export of electricity.

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Foot Sore? Use Minard's Liniment. W. N. U. 1811

What many people call indigestion is often merely excess acid in the stomach. The stomach secretes acid, and when it is over-stimulated, the food sour. The corrective is in a small, white, crystalline acid instantly. And the best acid known to medical science is Phillips' Acid of Magnesia. It has been named the standard with physicians in the 20 years since its invention. Use Phillips' Acid of Magnesia.

Antacids which in water will neutralize instantly many times as much acid, and the symptoms disappear at once. You will never use crude medicine, and you will learn the efficiency of this. Go get a small bottle to try.

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### Fighting Forest Fires At Night

Miner's Carbide Lamp Used By Rangers In Work Of Extinguishing Fires

Equipment is now in use by the Forest Service, Department of the Interior, which enables rangers to fight forest fires at night, when such work is most valuable, owing to the fact that the fire-fighters cap and so located just above his forehead. This leaves his hands free to work, and gives the light just where desired, both for travel in reaching the fire and for the work of extinguishing the fire.

### WOMEN WHO SUFFER

Anaemia Responsible For Most Of The Ills Of Girls and Women

Medical science shows that most of the ills that afflict growing girls and women are due to the fact that the blood is either poor in quality or deficient in quantity. This is the cause of low spirits, languidness, the poor appetite, backache that is a burden for so many women. There is a remedy for all these ills, and it is this, for all the miseries of anaemia can be quickly relieved by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It is an established fact that these pills will build up the blood, and a rich blood their wonderful reputation is.

Thousands of formerly weak and anaemic girls and women have testified to the fact that they owe their restoration to good health to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. One of these, Mrs. Napoleon Gallant, Tipton, Kansas, who says: "I was a weak girl who can strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I began using them I was in an extremely nervous condition. I could not sleep, neither could I eat, and was constantly growing weaker. I got medicine from a doctor, but it did not seem to meet my condition, and then, on the recommendation of a friend, I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. By the time I had taken a couple of boxes I began to feel better. I continued their use, and in a short time I was again in the best of health. I am now a healthy girl, and I can truly say that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the hands of a young woman of the family fees run down the pills soon put them in good condition."

The best time to begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the moment you feel the least bit out of sorts. Do not wait until you are so weak that you cannot get on your feet. You will regain your old-time energy. You can test this plan by mail, postpaid, at 50 cents a box, by sending your order to Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Power Of Sound Waves

It Highly Pitched They Will Do Much Damage

Living creatures can be struck dead by sound waves too highly pitched for the human ear to hear them, writes T. C. Bridges. These high frequency waves, which are called "ultra-sound," have been used on animals and produced instant death. The sound appears to shatter the blood corpuscles, and the creatures have been struck by lightning. Sound can do many things which seem mysterious and almost miraculous. For instance, fire can be extinguished by sound. Some little time ago Mr. Charles Kellogg, of California, gave a demonstration of the power of sound over flame, and by drawing a jet low across a piece of aluminium extinguished a burning gas at fifty feet. Sound vibrations can not only break a wineglass but can damage a building. It is suspected that the great vibrating notes of organs can cause vibrations which may actually weaken the structure of a church or cathedral.

The very latest wonder of sound is to make an aeroplane light up the air around it which is arriving merely by a note of its air. This was done recently at Newark, New Jersey.

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### AFTER ALL There's Nothing To Equal



### Canada's Economic Conditions

Confidence Is Felt By Big Financial Men In The Future Of The Dominion

In the face of the serious decline in prices of stocks, Premier Mackenzie King recently made a brief statement in newspapers in which he declared that economic conditions in Canada had never been sounder, nor faith in the development of the Dominion greater, if one was to judge by those indices used by the large financial agencies of the world. The hectic conditions which had prevailed recently might have an adverse effect on Canadian stocks, but Mr. King said that the confidence shown by foreign investors should be itself be a factor in inspiring confidence in the Dominion and its future.

It was at times like these, said Mr. King, that one realized the importance of stability in laws and general soundness of business in a country. Canada's position was secure, he thought, and he pointed to the growth along the line of primary and secondary industries in the country. The fact that capital for investment was so freely offered in Canada showed the confidence that was felt in the future of the Dominion.

### To Honor Pioneer

Premier Toller, Of British Columbia, Will Be Present At Celebration Of Mount Rainer's Discovery

Early 100 years ago, Dr. William Fraser Toller, physician of the Hudson's Bay Company, at Fort Vancouver, Washington, trudged up the Natchez River to Mount Rainer, the first white man to reach a peak now known as a scenic resort.

In 1825, the centenary of this discovery, Dr. Toller's son, premier of British Columbia, will be the guest of honor at a celebration of Mount Rainer's discovery.

The premier has accepted the invitation of the Rainer National Park Advisory Board to take the leading part in the ceremony a little over three years hence.

### FAINT, DIZZY SPELLS

Had To Sleep Propped Up In Bed

Mrs. Norman Bishop, Salisbury, W. Va., writes: "I was troubled with faint and dizzy spells and when I could lie down I would propped up with something. I got so bad I could not sleep."

"My doctor said I was my heart and nerves, and that I needed a good heart tonic."

"I was advised to take MILBURN'S HEART NERVE PILLS."

"I had not taken one box when I could lie down and sleep like a child." Price, 50c, a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price to The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Irish Passenger (as train is moving off): "Why the hell didn't you put my luggage in as I told you, old fool!"

Porter: "Eh-b, man, yer baggage is as an Irishman as yerself. Yere in the wrong train."

### Joint Branch Line Programme Announced

Thornton and Beatty Publish Plans For Alberta Railways

Announcement has been made jointly by Sir Henry Thornton and E. W. Beatty, of the branch line programme to be commenced in 1930 by the Northern Alberta railways. The presidents of the two transcontinental railways, which jointly own the Alberta railways, point out that under the agreement for acquisition the purchasers undertook to build within five years sixty miles of branch lines. In addition to the branches under construction by the government of Alberta at the time the purchase was made.

To meet the traffic needs of the district, and in fulfillment of statements previously made, the directors of the Northern Alberta railways have, therefore, decided to recommend to the government and to the directors of the Canadian Pacific, the commencement in 1930 of a line from Hymie to Hymie, a distance of fifty miles, and from Fairview westerly, a distance of 15 miles. In addition, the Northern Alberta railways will, during the coming year, undertake to investigate the traffic possibilities of an extension west from Spirit River and from a point at or near Grinnaw, to the Battle River district, which considerable settlement has taken place.

The programme announced is of considerable magnitude and confirms the statement already issued that in the opinion of the Canadian National Railway, this extension will be the most important and immediate work in the development of the Peace River district, the construction of branch line mileage.

### A Remarkable Tree

White Pine Tree In Ontario Yields 17 Cords Of Wood

Remarkable in size, symmetry and the soundness of its wood, a white pine tree which has been lying 40 or 50 years or more on the farm of Norman Reid on Coulongue Lake, in the North Bay (Ont.) district, was utilized recently for wood.

It yielded 17 cords. The pine measured 145 feet from the tip to the base, which showed a diameter of the feet, 10 inches. Twenty feet higher up the diameter was but six inches less. The first branch was three feet through and the second two feet six inches. The stump bears evidence that the tree was felled either completely or partially, possibly half a century ago, remaining in a wonderful state of preservation through the changing seasons.

### Meeting Of Two Seas

Uniting Of Mediterranean and Red Sea Portended By Jules Verne

August last witnessed the diamond jubilee of the opening of the Suez Canal. In 1869 the waters of the Mediterranean and the Red Sea met and mingled for the first time, although the canal was not opened for regular traffic until November. It is interesting to remember that Jules Verne imagined an underground tunnel uniting the two seas, running under the isthmus, and that he named Captain Nemo take his sea-serpent—the prototype of the submarine—right through it.

### Didn't Interest Him

"An actor, who, because of his warring profession had seldom paid his income tax, was at last discovered by the authorities, who promptly sent him a return to complete."

The actor kept it for a few days and sent it back with a little note: "Thank you very much, but I don't wish to join this affair."

Experiments show that an expert violinist can make 600 separate movements with his fingers during a single day's playing.

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A man's credit is getting pretty low when he can't even borrow trouble.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA. A BABY REMEDY. APPROVED BY DOCTORS FOR COLIC, CONSTIPATION, DIARRHEA.

### Your Kids Need Sugar

It supplies body fuel for the energy that keeps them going and growing. No need to use wet-flet and lazy.

Use WIGLET for sugar and flavor, and see how ruddily the boys and girls respond.

It's the new science of health-building. WIGLET'S yourself and stay thin.



### Here It Is

And here it is for treating nose, throat, chest, cough, cold, and all other troubles. It is guaranteed, you can't lose. Try it. KITCHENER TONIC, Ltd., Kitchener, Ont.

### Canadian Girls Organize

First Convention Of Its Kind Held At Port William

With nearly 20 delegates from coast to coast in attendance, the first all-Canada aviation convention was held recently at Port William, J. A. Sully, president of the Winnipeg Flying Club, was chosen chairman of the initial meeting.

The first business of the convention was the organization of a central body of the flying clubs throughout the Dominion, to be known officially as the "Canadian Flying Club Association." This association will be the official spokesman of the various clubs throughout the Dominion, and will attempt to solve many of the problems which today face aviators from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Delegates from the several clubs will be known to the board of governors and this body annually will choose a president, five vice-presidents, one honorary secretary and an honorary treasurer. The vice-presidents will be regional officers, from the following districts: British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Thunder Bay district, Ontario east of Thunder Bay and Quebec and the Maritimes.

Women feed upon the vitality of children and endanger their lives. A simple and effective remedy is Mother's Own Remedy.

Reason Prince Sold Hunters. When the Prince of Wales abandoned fox hunting and sold his horses this year, he did so not for his own personal safety, as was generally believed, but because the prohibition of fox hunting was likely to come before Parliament and the heir to the throne must not become involved in any political issue.

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## Prairie Provinces Rich In Minerals

Can No Longer Be Considered Agricultural Only Says J. M. Laurie

"No longer may the Prairie Provinces be considered agricultural only," declared John M. Laurie, Managing Director of the Edmonton Journal in his address on "Carving Out a New Northwest," given recently before the Toronto Canadian Club.

"Premier Bracken," he proceeded, "has predicted that in 1923, only four years hence, Manitoba's mineral production will exceed in value her wheat crop. Saskatchewan has more than half of the proved Flin Flon belt, and further north has Stong Exploit and several other areas in which recent discoveries and known geological formations give promise of rich mineral wealth."

"My own Province of Alberta, possessing 14 per cent. of the world's known coal reserves, is already running neck and neck with Nova Scotia in coal production. She has also quickly jumped into the first place in Canadian Provinces as an oil producer. And away to the north, hundreds of engineers and prospectors have been at work last year and this endeavouring with some success to wrest from Mother Earth her secret of mineral wealth."

"In my Province our industrial production has increased by 50 per cent. in the last four years. Only a short time ago the Premier of Alberta quoted a leading industrialist of the East as predicting that within five years Alberta would be a great industrial province. And all the while in the far North the great Peace River country is receiving a new and greatly accelerated flood of agricultural settlers, who are steadily pushing back further north the boundaries of profitable agriculture."

### Elk Island National Park

Canada's Second Largest Reserve Is Located Near Edmonton

Elk Island National Park, Canada's second largest animal preserve, is within an hour's motor ride from Edmonton, Alberta. The buffalo in Elk Island Park are unusually fine specimens of their kind. The park is particularly dark and thick and the animals are all sturdy and well developed. They are not as wild as when they were originally captured, but they are undisturbed by visitors to go near them on foot, though they may be approached with safety in an automobile. Both the moose and elk in this sanctuary are also well developed specimens.

### Just a Comparison

Between Court System of Britain and United States

In a recent issue of the New York State Medical Journal there was an interesting article which compared the court systems of the United States and Great Britain. Particular attention was drawn by the writer to the fact that, in the United States, before a man is admitted to the Bar he must demonstrate that he possesses the intellectual, cultural and moral qualifications entitling him to belong to a learned and honorable profession. No such qualifications are demanded in the United States.

### Just An Encore

She—"I hear you faint at the party last night and that they brought you to."

He—"Yes, and then I fainted again."

She—"Good gracious! And what happened then?"

He—"They brought me two more."

Xenograph is the name given to an engraving on wood or an impression thereof.

The trouble with spirit work today is that too much of it is confined to 1920's.



"What have you been looking for all this time?"

"My suit."

"It is in your shirt."

"As usual! Nothing in the place one expects to find it!" Lucille Kolner Zeitung, Cologne.

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## Paint From Pichard

Use Has Been Found For One Deeply

It is now proposed to squeeze the oil out of the famous British Columbia salt water fish, the pichard, mix it with lead from the Trail smelter, and purplene from Ontario, and certain coloring material and with a Canadian-made paint brush apply the solution evenly to the surface of houses and other buildings constructed of British Columbia lumber.

The pichard found himself during the war period. Before war was a despised fish, enjoying perfect liberty while his neighbors, the salmon, halibut, and cod, were regularly hooked or netted to make a Friday dinner for mankind. When the food shortage came, the B.C. pichard was discovered to be a fairly palatable fish, overrich in oils. Since the war the market for pichards has fallen off owing to the extreme fatness of the fish.

Experts of the Biological Board of Canada have now created a use for pichard oil. They have found that it can be made a substitute for boiled linseed oil, used in making paint. Experiments in the coast climate and at Edmonton in the use of this paint have been satisfactory.

That vicious cannibal of the deep, the dogfish, is also becoming the subject of scientific research. One of the biological staff at Prince Rupert has now found that the dogfish pichard was found with a fairly liberal content of "Vitamin D."

At Prince Rupert they experimented with some white rats suffering from rickets. Dogfish oil from the west coast of Vancouver Island was given the white rats and cures followed. It is said to prove that dogfish oil may be substituted for the famous cod liver oil. It may be good for the human family. It certainly will be a boon for the poultry along the British Columbia coast. For the laying hen needs "Vitamin D" particularly in the winter season. The discovery of the work of the scientists has resulted in creating a new wealth-producing industry founded upon the use of the fishy oil—Vancouver Province.

### Isolized Salt For Breeding Ewes

Experiments Would Indicate That Use of Isolized Salt Is Beneficial

Whether the addition of iodine to salt for breeding ewes is a valuable practice has not yet been fully determined, but from an experiment carried on at the Fredericton, N.B. Experiment Station, two years in succession, it would seem to have a pronounced value. One-half of the ewes at the station were fed isolized salt from fall until spring, while the other half were given access to untreated salt.

The isolized salt was prepared by drying the moisture out of fifty pounds of common salt, and then sprinkling it with two ounces of potassium iodide. The results of the experiment, in the station in 1919, published in the report of the Agricultural Experiment Station, at Fredericton, N.B., Ottawa, shows that there was little, if any effect from the treated salt observed the first year, but the second year the ewes that had been fed isolized salt had stronger lambs than the ewes which were given only plain salt. The experiment is being continued at the Fredericton Station.

### Cheerful and Contented

British Columbia Is Proud Of Its Eight Centenarians

When David in his wisdom declared that "the days of our years are three score years and ten," he didn't know what British Columbia had up her sleeve to shatter that prophecy. He apparently had no inkling of the fact that in the nineteenth hundred and twenty-ninth year of our lord there would be no less than eight hale and hearty centenarians in Canadian Pacific Province chuckling over the fact that they had outlived David and the tenth verse of his ninetieth Psalm to the tune of from one to two score years. Neither is their "strength labor and sorrow" as he predicted, for "one might travel" the length of the earth to find more cheerful or contented persons than these B.C. centenarians.

### A Dog Story

"Scop," a "dog-terrier" pup, owned by A. A. Bernick, Cleveland newspaperman, has the distinction of being the first dog stenographer in the country. "Scop" was secured aboard a plane enroute in the Ohio Good Will Air Tour.

There are about 800 islands in Scotland.

From 25 to 38 miles an hour is the average speed of most small birds.

Three-quarters of the land area of Finland is forest.

## URBAN F. DITTMAN, JR., WITH HIS TINY NB-3 BARLING



The photograph here shows Urban F. Dittman, Jr., callitana and amateur pilot of Blings, Mont., standing beside his tiny NB-3 Barling, single-motored monoplane, "Golden Hind," in which he took off from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, on a flight along Atlantic coast to London on Oct. 22. No word has been heard from him since. All hope for his safety has been abandoned. Copyright, 1929, Pacific and Atlantic Photos, Inc.

### The Ownerless Dog A Menace

Outbreaks Of Rabies Frequently Traced To Lost Dogs

Rabies, which results from a person or animal being bitten by a dog suffering from hydrophobia, has, for the past few years from time to time, been breaking out in the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. According to the report of the Veterinary Director-General, for the past fiscal year a considerable number of cases have occurred, affecting dogs, cattle, sheep and cats.

The Health of Animals Branch, of the Department of Agriculture, co-operates with Municipal Councils in enforcing measures calculated to bring the trouble under control. It is the view of the Veterinary Director-General, that the dissemination of rabies frequently traces to ownerless and homeless dogs which accumulate, especially in cities and towns. Untagged dogs regarding which there is no record on the assessor's sheets are regarded as a real menace, when an outbreak of rabies occurs. The first evidence of this disease in a district has been proved, is not infrequently traced to useless mongrels without license or tag, and whose owners cannot be determined.

In his report for last year which is issued by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, Dr. C. H. Hill, Veterinary Director-General, calls upon local authorities to maintain the necessary control of dogs by strictly enforcing by-laws providing for a compulsory high obligatory license tag with a system of tagging by which a dog can be recognized on sight as being in good standing before the law. All dogs so tagged should be considered as having no owner and should be suitably disposed of.

### Want Canadian Paper

Inquiries Coming From Import Houses In Hong-Kong

Several import houses in Hong-Kong have recently approached the Trade Commission office with reference to the possibility of establishing agency or buying connections with Canadian paper manufacturers. writes Mr. Paul Styles, Canadian Trade Commissioner in Hong-Kong. In the forthcoming issue of the Commercial Intelligence Journal. Most of these firms have had considerable experience in the paper trade, and are now interested in Canadian business on account of the favorable quality and price of these products. In view of the volume of trade in newspaper and kraft wrappings, more requests have been received for these types than for others, but bond and writings, waxed and other special wrappings papers have also been specified.

### Canada's Master Clocks

Clocks At Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, Are Kept In One Underground Vault

The master clocks at the Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, kept in the underground clock vault, are maintained as nearly as possible at a constant temperature. Kerosene-mercury and toluene-mercury thermometers are designed to turn the heat on or off for a change of one hundredth of a degree in room temperature and the work for long periods without inspection. Two ordinary carbon lamps keep the room temperature at slightly under 70 degrees Fahrenheit, while two other lamps turned on intermittently by the thermometers hold the temperature practically steady at 70 degrees.

### Indian Chiefs Make History



When Chief Ocanento (Deer), of the famous Iroquois, met in ally Chief Simabotw Wahwahkache (Running Deer), of the Ojibwas, the Indian Reserve at Caughnawaga, near Montreal recently, history was made, since there is no record in Indian lore of these two tribes having met before. They did not understand a word of their respective languages and used English as a common medium. Chief Ocanento, "Skay-mah" (redwood) to the deep "Bajouneche" (Greetings, my friends) of Chief Wahwahkache. The latter is better known to hunters and fishermen all over the continent as Paul Canaan, head Indian guide and mentor of tourist and sportsmen at the Mission Camp in northern Ontario in the past thirty years. The former is Louis Deer, chief of the Caughnawaga Indian Reserve.

## Late Blight and Rot Of Potatoes

Loss From Late Blight May Be Reduced By Spraying At Proper Seasons

The average yield per acre of potatoes in Canada is regarded by authorities as approximately half what it should be. While this deficiency is due to several causes in the opinion of R. R. Hunt, plant pathologist of the Department of Agriculture, late blight is often an important factor, both because of the prompt destruction of the tops during the growing season, and the rotting of the tubers later on.

Mr. Hunt, who has made a very careful study of potato diseases, has prepared a bulletin "Late Blight and Rot of Potatoes," numbered 119, of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa. It has been proved conclusively that the loss from late blight may be greatly reduced by spraying at proper seasons with the proper mixture in Prince Edward Island the neglect of spraying reduced the yield to the extent of 120% bushels per acre during a two-year period of investigation. The losses due to this disease in the United States during the period of years 1918 to 1921 is believed to amount to 75,000,000 bushels of potatoes. It is given as an equally striking fact that, in regions where the disease is common, its control resulted in increased yields aggregating from 40 to 233 bushels per acre.

The organisms of the disease of late blight and rot are believed by some investigators to live over in the soil and draw sustenance from decaying tubers in place. Others believe the view that diseased roots contaminate the soil in which they are planted, the fungus growing on the roots and sprouts and ultimately producing infection of the plant.

Apart from these considerations it is believed by the author of the bulletin that the organism responsible for this disease spends the greater part of its existence within the plant tissue.

Upon this understanding of the disease the author recommends, in the pages of his bulletin, measures that may be taken with hope of success for controlling this destructive malady of the potato crop.

### Bronchitis In Fowl

Losses From This Disease Usually Quite Severe

The frequency with which appeals are made to the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, for advice on treating fowl with this disease, the Veterinary Director-General to include in his latest annual report a paper by Dr. C. H. Woodhouse, on the subject of "Infectious Bronchitis in Fowl."

This disease, it is pointed out, is frequently associated with roup, and frequently with pox as well. Difficult breathing is detected and intervals of fits of coughing is a common occurrence. Losses from this disease are usually quite severe, reaching as high as eight birds per hour, in a flock of permanent fowls. For this reason, a preventive measure it is recommended that pullets be not taken from the open range to be constantly confined in permanent houses. Not only should the liberty of yards be given, but the birds should be liberally supplied with fresh air. Birds taken from the open range to be shipped should be given roomy crates with plenty of opportunity for ventilation. Losses from this disease are of great importance that all fowls, asphyxiation by the outpouring of blood into the lung tissue. It is therefore of great importance that all birds be handled as quickly as possible, and that the utmost fresh air be made available. Windows in the south side of the poultry houses ought to be kept entirely open both day and night when the disease is present. There is no danger, states Dr. Woodhouse, of the birds taking cold from the open windows during the acute stage of the disease. When birds are to be shipped to show, or for sale purposes, it is recommended as a good practice to inject a few drops of a 10 per cent. solution of Argylol or Yec-Silvitol into the eyes, nostrils and throat.

Mother: "Daughter, dear, I'm afraid that young man is a bad egg."

Daughter: "He's all that, and even worse."

Mother: "What do you mean?"

Daughter: "He's a bad egg that's broke."

A curious lizard of New Zealand has the remains of an eye in the middle of the top of his head.

There are about 5,000 medical periodicals published in the world.

The climbing perch is able to walk on land.

Roman aqueducts were built as far as 60 miles out into the country.

## Age and Efficiency

Assumption That Forty-Five Should Be Dead Line Is Proved Erroneous

Recent investigations of labor conditions with a view to ascertaining the relation of age to efficiency have led to some interesting results.

Under a series of most cautious conditions, the age of 45 has become a deadline of hope to a great proportion of the working population. There is, perhaps, some basis for the widely prevalent opinion that younger workers are more efficient, but until the last few years no scientific basis of the problem had been undertaken, and the position taken by employment managers rested entirely upon assumption.

The Michigan Department of labor and industry has issued a study of efficient frequency for various ages. The report finds that the personal injury frequency for workers aged from 20 to 24 years is 39 per cent. greater than for those between 25 and 30 years of age, and 22 per cent. greater than for those of between 25 and 44 years.

These facts are most significant, in view of the prevailing impression that the older worker is a special accident hazard for his employer. This impression of older workers has been one of the factors that make it hard for them to hold jobs or get new employment.

It is high time that this assumption be subjected to examination and tests. This important Michigan study is most emphatic evidence of the injustice that may be done, and it is to be hoped that the study of accident hazards for his employer. This impression of older workers has been one of the factors that make it hard for them to hold jobs or get new employment.

Wonders Of The Deep

Marine Biologist Finding Wonderful

How science has taken possession of a tropical island and secured many prisoners for "third degree" examination is told in a new series of photographs contributed to the "Illustrated London News" by Dr. William Beebe, the well-known marine biologist. Dr. Beebe and his staff selected as their base "a speck of land" off the Bermuda known as Nomans Island. "I find some of the most wonderful and amazing creatures of the sea," he writes, "and the private haunts of many weird and wonderful aquatic creatures, some of the most beautiful and down in the dark abysses of the ocean." Among them is a jet-black whelk which carries a brilliant torch projecting from its forehead—this being caught at a depth of 800 fathoms.

### England's Oldest House

Built In Year 740 It Has Never Been Unoccupied

An Elizabethan House seems to us to be of respectable age, but I hear of a house now to be sold, that was mentioned in Domesday Book, and at the time of that record was much older than one of Elizabeth's day would be to the present age, writes "Looker-On" in the London Daily Telegraph. The habitation in question, Minster Abbey, was built in 740, and the owner might fairly claim that his tree is the oldest house in England. For nearly 800 years it has been occupied by the Benedictine Order, either of monks or nuns, and for the last three centuries it has been a private residence. But at no period in its history has it been unoccupied.

### Woman Lifesort Expert

Miss Lily Anderson of Liverpool, England, has just passed the Board of Trades Lifesort expertise examination and has been presented a certificate entitling her to take charge of a lifesort in cases of emergency. Her examination included lowering and managing these craft. She is stewardess on an ocean liner.

The world's greatest water wheel, generating 10,000 horsepower, went into action, recently, at Niagara Falls.



"You say my jims are bad! Well, just to guarantee that they are not I give to give any proving that they are bad!"

—Pages Gales, Yverdon.



## League of Nations Society Accomplishing Good Work, But Handicapped By Lack of Funds

With the visit of Rt. Hon. Ramsay MacDonald to the United States and Canada, and the momentous decisions which will result from that visit public attention has been concentrated on the subject of world peace.

In considering this subject much credit is given to the League of Nations, in Geneva, and the great work it is doing. This is only right and the more the League is known the more the League is appreciated. The League is brought before the public, the more likely it is that still further practical results will follow its efforts. But in Canada and elsewhere it is only fair that some credit should come to the home societies which are actively propagating League ideals in their several countries.

In Canada there has existed for some nine years an organization well and favorably known as the League of Nations Society of Canada. Handicapped by lack of funds, by comparative public indifference and an inadequate staff, it has continuously attempted to be an influence for good in all parts of the country and to zealously battle for the ideals for which it was founded.

Through the co-operation of the press of Canada, whose leading executives recognize the importance of its campaign, some publicity has been given to the yearly effort of this organization to increase its membership, but we feel that no more publicity co-operation both by press and public would be most opportune at the present time.

Geneva is far away, and many of the issues with which it deals are too complicated for the average man to fully understand. No one who is more in need of domestic interpretation, and that work is being carried out with praiseworthy diligence. It is not too much to say that such an organization would be a fit subject for a perpetual endorsement which would relieve it of the necessity of canvassing for the comparatively small sum which it requires to carry on its immensely valuable work.—The Frederickton Daily Mail.

### Canada's New Northwest

John M. Imlie, Teller Easterners Of Development In The West

Speaking at a joint dinner of the Canadian and Rotary clubs at Sherbrooke, Que., John M. Imlie, managing editor of the Edmonton Journal, described what he calls "Canada's New Northwest," and told of the active progress of that section of the Dominion, stretching northwest of Lake Superior, and basic sources of the new movement—the lure of mineral wealth as well as agricultural and forest development.

"It has to do with new discoveries of oil and gas," said Mr. Imlie, "with new trade routes and new foreign markets, and with economic changes that are tending to decentralization of industry."

### Had Tric Tric

One morning while the children were eating breakfast Mifford put two teapots of spools of sugar in his coat.

"I should think one spoonful would be enough," objected his sister.

"I should think so, too," he replied, "but it ain't."

Anguished Diner: "Waiter, call the manager! There's a beetle in the soup!"

Waiter: "It's no use sending for him, Mr. he's dead to death of them."

"Think twice before you speak and you'll have twice as much not to regret."

Dictation says hash contains vitamins. If any other foods contain vitamins, hash just naturally has to.



"Levo, before I marry you, I must know that I have a glass eye." "Yes, I have one." "That's nothing. Only one more window to clean."—Moustique, Charler.

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## Jap Diplomats Land



"The destinies of Canada and Japan lie together in the great Pacific Ocean," declared Hon. Tetsuomi Tokugawa, K.C.V.O., first minister to represent the Emperor of Japan in Canada, when he reached the Dominion on board Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of France," at Vancouver, recently. With him is photographed Togo Tokugawa, Japanese Consul-General. Mr. Tokugawa is the son of Prince Iyeyasu Tokugawa; and a man of long experience in diplomacy. He was on his way to Ottawa to present his credentials to the Canadian Government from the Japanese Emperor.

### Miracle Of Conducting

Dr. Erich Fisher, a Swiss engineer, has completed an invention whereby orchestras in different countries can be conducted simultaneously by wireless. An experiment will be made at Zurich shortly, when orchestras in London, Paris, Berlin, and Milan, under Dr. Fisher's command, will unite in transmitting a new hymn to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the League of Nations.

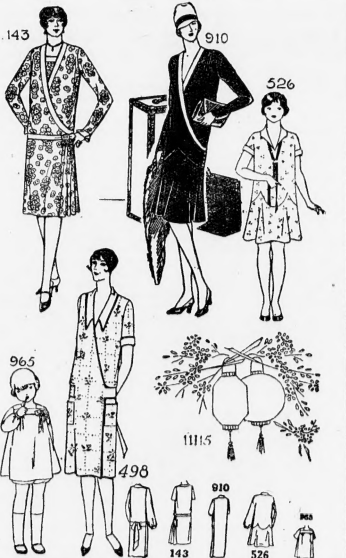
Whales depend upon hearing more than any other sense to protect them from their enemies.

### Evidence Of Ancient Customs

It was customary with girls in ancient Greece and Rome to offer, when they approached the marriageable age, their dolls to Venus or Diana. Many of these ancient dolls, made of wood, clay, ivory or wax, have been found in tombs of Greek and Roman origin. These curious votive offerings seem to have been universal in the ancient world.

If species adapt themselves to adversity, as the evolutionists say, why hasn't lawn grass learned to grow high and then quit?

## FASHION



No. 143—Midi—Slender. This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure, size 36 requires 3 1/2 yards of 36-inch material with 1/2 yard of 36-inch contrasting.

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## Projected Trans-Atlantic Air Service From Canada To England via Greenland

### Seed Oats To Be Supplied

Farmers in Saskatchewan Dry Area

That arrangements were being made some time ago for the purchasing of seed oats for farmers in the drought affected districts of Saskatchewan, is announced by Hon. W. C. Buckle, Minister of Agriculture, who stated that a considerable portion of the oats required for this purpose have already been bought and deliveries are being made to the Canadian Government Elevator at Moose Jaw. E. M. Johnson, of Pasqua, acting as seed purchasing commissioner, has represented the government in these transactions, but is not purchasing fodder as has been reported in the press.

Investigation reveals the fact that while there is in Saskatchewan a sufficient quantity of oats to meet feed requirements, there does not appear to be sufficient seed oats, consequently purchases have been made in the province of Alberta in addition to those which have been and are being purchased in Saskatchewan.

The Department of Agriculture is receiving offers of seed oats grown in Saskatchewan and is making selections from these of quantities suitable for seed purposes. It is not expected there will be any difficulty in getting a sufficient supply of seed oats if such oats which are suitable for seed are used for that purpose in the future. It is also expected that prices to farmers in the affected areas will be within reasonable limits for the seed. The department will be in a position shortly to fill orders for carloads of seed oats purchased by rural municipalities.

The minister stated also that in his opinion it would be best for farmers to get their arrangements at once made to provide for their seed supply in order to avoid possible disappointment.

### Grain Mixtures For Feed

Practice Of Sowing Mixture Of Grains For Feed Over Growing

Data His Little Value

There is apparently little advantage in sowing mixture of grain for feed over growing oats alone when it is good variety is chosen. This conclusion, at least, may be drawn from an experiment that has been going on for several years at the Fredericton, N.B. Experiment Station, and which is published in the report of the superintendent for last year, which may be secured from the publications branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Three plots were sown with mixtures and three with single varieties. The grains used were Huron wheat, Victory oats and Charlottetown No. 8 barley. For the past four years the average yield has been highest with Victory oats which were sown at the rate of 16.68 pounds per acre. The yield was at the rate of 16.68 pounds to the acre, as against 16.43 for a mixture of wheat, oats, and barley, and 16.43 for a mixture of wheat, oats and barley one bushel each. When wheat, oats and barley were sown in equal amounts of one bushel each to the acre the yield was 16.68 pounds. The barley alone sown at two and one-half bushels to the acre gave a yield of 13.16 pounds, while Huron wheat sown at one bushel and three pecks, yielded 708 pounds as an average for the four years.

In another series of experiments barley and oats when sown in combination and at different rates were compared with oats and barley sown alone. The highest average yield for the four years was 17.64 pounds to the acre from a seeding of one bushel of barley and two bushels of oats. Victory oats alone gave the next yield of 16.68 pounds. It was followed by oats six pecks, and barley six pecks, sown together, of 16.64, while one bushel and barley one bushel, gave 1.473 pounds, and barley alone, 1.316 pounds to the acre. In the second series of experiments the highest yield was obtained from a mixture of two parts of oats, one part barley sown at the rate of three bushels to the acre.

Clark. Do you want a room for 50 or 75? "Stranger—What's the difference between them?" "Clark—the 75-cent rooms we put a rat trap."

The fishing industry of Manitoba contributes more than \$2,000,000 annually to the production figure of that province.

Details of the projected trans-Atlantic air service from Canada to England via Greenland, are contained in information received by the Civil Aviation Branch of the Department of National Defence, at Ottawa.

The scheme, which calls for an elaborate outfit of airports and radio beacons from Winnipeg to Baker Lake, and from Baker Lake to Cape Dyer, in Canada, is advanced by Warren Scholl, a consulting engineer from Chicago, who is now staying in Winnipeg.

Mr. Scholl is seeking to promote the scheme, which calls for a daily service between Chicago and Croydon, using Winnipeg as the main stopping point on this continent. He plans to operate a shuttle service between New York and Winnipeg, as well as between the western city and other points in Great Britain.

From Cape Dyer it is planned that planes should fly to Western Greenland where an airport would be established on the level surface of the ice cap. From Greenland planes would fly to Iceland, to the Faroe Islands, and thence to Croydon.

Mr. Scholl is seeking to organize three separate companies, one in the United States, one in Canada, and the third in Great Britain, which would bear the cost of the whole scheme between them.

His plan calls for the floating of separate loans in each country and for the exchange of blocks of stock between the three countries involved, so that profit and loss would be equally distributed.

Planes used in the service would be amphibious, of all-metal construction. Pilots would be guided over the entire route by radio beacons, which, Mr. Scholl thinks, would defeat the hazards of bad weather. Flying Superintendents would enable pilots to make blind landings with an accuracy of four feet, considered by authorities to be a safe margin. The route would not be lighted, although airports would be equipped with the most modern of lighting equipment.

Revenue would be derived through the carrying of passengers, mail and express. The machines would have a capacity of not more than 20 passengers, while a system of deferred express rates, something like cable rates, would be instituted to make up pay made in days when the passenger quota was small.

### Where the Rain Goes

Experiments Show Largest Amount Returns To Atmosphere Through

Where does the rain go? A three-year study by the United States Geological Survey has answered this question. The Pomperaug River, Connecticut, which is believed to be typical of the country at large, was being intensively studied. The results of the study were published in the Popular Science Monthly, showing that of the annual rainfall of 44 inches, 21 inches flow out through streams. The other 23 inches return to the atmosphere. Evaporation from the soil, from water surfaces, and from the leaves of trees account for these 23 inches of moisture that enter the air.

### Spotted the Show

The Dramatic Society was presenting an historical play, and one of the newly enrolled members had been assigned a part with exactly one line to speak. He was the headman, and arrayed in all the glory of black tights and mask, he strode on to the centre of the stage and announced: "My lord, my lord, I have beened the man."

"Oh, you have, 'ave you?" retorted another small-part man in the guise of the cruel king. "Well, allow me to tell you that you've missed up the 'ole blooming show. You've been and done it two acts too soon."

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## The Singing Fool

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**SYNOPSIS**

Al Stone, singing waiter at Blackie Joe's New York night club, is loved by Grace Farrell, the cigarette girl, but he does not know that. He marries Molly Winton, a ballad singer, and wins fame as a composer of popular songs. When their baby, Junior, is about two years old, Molly elopes with John Perry, Al's best friend, taking the child. Molly consents to a late farewell between Al and Junior before she sails for France. This takes place at a park entrance Al walks towards the center of the city, completely broken by his tragic loss. He plans to leave the Broadway night life and disappear. The lights of evening flick and skip.

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But, in order to live, Al knew he must create a new life for himself. The old life was closed. He felt himself entirely alone in night clubs and the whole Broadway life, if he wrote a song it would be so tragic and filled with pain that no song-publisher or revue producer would want it. No, there was nothing for him to do but disappear from the haunts.

In a few days, when he had pulled himself together, he would see Celine and collect on his share of the ownership of the Club Bonito. Then—goodbye.

He had reached the end of the park at 10th Street. How the city roared; the night life was beginning, the life of which he had been a living part only a short time ago. He glanced at his watch—almost six o'clock. They were ordering all the visitors ashore from the Ile de France. In a few moments the gang-plank would be lifted and the floating hotel of the river would pull slowly from the dock.

Days passed, and Broadway was no longer of Al Stone. Where had he gone? His friends asked Billy Cline, his former business partner, but Billy could only shake his head sadly and say he didn't know. Marcus wanted Al to write some new numbers for a revue he had to rehearsal, but there was no Al to come.

Such punishment isn't very good for one's nerves! It's unwise, and it's unnecessary. For a tablet or two of Aspirin will relieve a headache every time. So, remember this accepted attitude for pain, and spare yourself a lot of needless suffering. Read the proven directions, and you'll discover many valuable facts for these tablets. For headaches, to ease a sore throat and reduce the infection. For relieving neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatic pain.

People used to wonder if Aspirin might be harmful. The doctors answered that question years ago.

## Needless Pain!

The man who wouldn't drive his motorcar half a mile when it's out of order, will often drive his brain all day with a head that's throbbing. Such punishment isn't very good for one's nerves! It's unwise, and it's unnecessary. For a tablet or two of Aspirin will relieve a headache every time. So, remember this accepted attitude for pain, and spare yourself a lot of needless suffering. Read the proven directions, and you'll discover many valuable facts for these tablets. For headaches, to ease a sore throat and reduce the infection. For relieving neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatic pain.

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"What do you think's become of him?" asked Marcus of another songwriter.

"The river?" suggested the composer.

"No," Marcus shook his head vigorously. "I don't think Al would take his own life. He loves his boy too much. He'll live for that boy—you see. He may sail terribly, but hope for his boy will keep him going somewhere, somehow. We can't tell—he may be perfectly all right; he may have gone on a world cruise to forget, or he may have gone to the western country for a while.

So the conjectures passed from mouth to mouth, up and down the White Way. But Al was still in New York, living in a cheap hotel, wearing shabby clothes, his money in the bank, forgotten. He was a shadow of his former self. He walked the streets by day and night, occasionally turning in to sleep. But always he stayed away from the fashionable streets and the Broadway section. He developed a terrible dread that he might meet some of his friends and he kept a constant, furtive lookout for familiar figures. If he saw one he quickly crossed the street, turned the corner and disappeared.

He was still searching desperately for a place whereby he could rebuild his life on some new basis. But that could not be done, because he was definitely of the night club life. He had become a singing waiter while still in his teens—the cabaret life was the only one he understood. He could only wander—through the Ghetto, along the waterfront, through Little Italy. He made friends with old characters—fish peddlers, park boys, old Irish cabmen. But always he was drifting downward.

Then came the day when he happened to glance across the street and saw a face he knew. Surely that was Grace, who used to be a cigarette girl at Blackie Joe's place near the Village. As she stared intently at him Al dodged rapidly round the nearest corner.

Grace's glance followed Al in astonishment as he hurried around the corner and disappeared. At her first glimpse of him she had not been sure of his identity; it was a year since she had seen him and during that year he had almost become a different person. But Molly's desertion he self-confident walk was gone. His

Now, as Grace pursued her way, a flood of memories swept across her mind—Al as he used to look in his water clothes. Al as he had sung his first love ballad—"Always"—to Molly on the floor of Blackie's club. Al as she had once seen him at an uptown night club, resplendent in fine clothes. Al as she had seen his picture in the papers with Molly and his baby Junior.

Grace still recalled how the news of Junior's arrival had sent a stabbing throb through her heart that she did not understand. Then came an intense longing to see the baby that Al fathered. But that too was a faint memory—now.

It was afternoon and Grace was not due at Blackie's until evening. However, she wanted to tell the night club owner her news, so she changed her course and mounted the familiar, shabby steps. The main room was dark and deserted, but Blackie was in his office. He glanced up as Grace entered.

(To Be Continued.)

**Centres of Lumbering**

The Ottawa Valley became the most important centre of commercial activity in the lumber industry of Canada with the beginning of the trade in rafting its square timber to Quebec for export. The Georgian Bay and Rainy River districts were later opened up and although the industry is now established over the entire Dominion, these districts are still among the chief lumbering regions in Eastern Canada.

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Too many characters are left around loose.

W. N. U. 1511

clothes were old and nondescript, his face was thin and the features kindly glow in his eyes had vanished.

Nevertheless the man who stared at her in sudden recognition for a moment was Al—she was sure of it. She walked back to the corner and followed the direction he had taken. But either Al moved faster than she or he had started up an alley, for she saw no sign of him. Thoughtfully she retraced his steps, her mood and her attention sobered by the tragic implications of the sight she had just witnessed. So that was Al, breezy, wise-cracking, generous Al—the man who had been the hero of her girlhood three years ago, the man she had loved so devotedly! That was the jocular, singing waiter whose rapid rise to fame had been one of the romances of Broadway and whose disappearance into obscurity had been one of the mysteries of the Street of Lights.

Grace had followed Al's career with the keenest attention from the fatalistic time when he left Blackie's night club until recently. She knew every story of his triumphs, every episode of his disastrous marriage, for they were gossiped about in cabaret circles, uptown and down, and as they appeared in newspapers and theatrical weeklies. For a year after Al left Blackie's her love for him had remained, first a throbbing recollection, then a faint furmur from the past.

But after he ceased to visit Blackie's and became so definitely a figure belonging to Broadway, his spirit of love became like the last note of an echo—it seemed to pass away lightly, before it could be grasped. And when it followed her was just a graceful and vague figure who had once stirred her as no man had been able to do since that day.

Grace had stayed on at Blackie Joe's. She had no sentimental talent to carry her to the past, and she was young; she could not sing and dance professionally. She possessed a lovely and delicate beauty, unswerving loyalty, keen intellect, a sense of non-sense and a frank, unpolished nature. These qualities, while they may have kept her from being a star, kept them in perfect health. I feel so safe with the Tablets that I always keep a box in the house."

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## True Friendship Is Rare

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Rockets are, seemingly, the newest toys and instruments of a scientific age which prefers to have nothing to do with imagination. Rocketeers will soon be joining racketeers to disturb our peace and to turn the incredible into the commonplace.

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## Sets Production Record

This is an age of records—and the aptest tree in the lot of R. L. Charles wishes to keep up with the spirit of the times. So it set out this spring with a record in mind. The single tree, according to Charles, bore 200 pounds of the fruit of which the average size was two inches in diameter.

The Scotch are much good golfers because they realize the fewer times they hit the ball the longer it will last.

## John Bull a Poor Advertiser

Discovered That Great German Flying Boat Fitted With Engines Of British Design

When the Great German flying boat sailed for Lake Constance the other day with the record human load of 169 persons, the world of aviation properly hailed it for what it appeared to be: a new triumph in the air for Germany. But all the story was not told at once. Germany may not much more go-ahead than the world is fitted with twelve engines, 523 horsepower each, of the British Jupiter design, made in German workshops under British license.

Little, if anything, appears to have been said about these engines until an aviation critic in Great Britain came out with the warning that the flight in question "throws Britain further behind in civil aviation and makes Germany the leader of commercial flight throughout Europe."

Then the truth was told. As one Canadian correspondent in London says: "The curious British mentality which finds Britain backward in thousands of ways and foreign countries much more go-ahead than we are, received a rude shock from the discovery about these engines." Once again John Bull has shown himself to be a poor advertiser—Victoria Daily Times.

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## Little Helps For This Week

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee: because he trusteth in Thee."—Isaiah xlviii, 3.

Oh, this is blessing, this is feast! Into Thine arms, O Lord I flee! I hide me in Thy faithful breast, And pour out all my soul to Thee. O tenderest of friends, O Lord, I am altogether Thine!

I have bowed down—A need not flee, Hence peace is mine in trusting Thee! —Anna Laetitia Waring.

Place your whole heart, O Lord! Let Him alone your fear and your love. He Himself will answer for you, and will do what is best for you. Here you have no count, city and wherever you are you are a stranger and a pilgrim; nor will you ever find rest until you are inwardly united to Christ.—Thomas A. Kempis.

## Destined To Come To Canada

The Scottish edition of the London Express says: "A young Scotswoman, 14 who booked her passage to Canada at Wood Green, paid her fare of £19 10s, in half-crowns, having saved one half-crown a week for three years."

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Critic: "The picture of the horse is good, but where's the wagon?" Artist: "Oh, the horse will draw that."

A Chinese professor claims to have seen a man Li Yang, who is 255 years old. What a L. professor!

Planes arriving at or departing from the Chicago district have 29 landing fields from which to choose.

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Thursday, Dec. 5, 1929

Melvin Tarr was on the sick  
list for Monday and Tuesday  
of this week.

Const. Cameron won the  
Sheddan pony at the dance at  
Bridle on Friday.

Owing to condition with  
other dance dates, the dance  
announced to take place in the  
Empress theatre on New Year's  
Eve has been cancelled.

The store building, originally  
occupied by S. B. Peters and  
Son as a clothing store, is an  
other one of the old buildings  
which has been torn down in  
the last week.

Andy Fraser will have charge  
as caretaker of the local skating  
rink.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wagner,  
and children, left on Wednesday  
for Swan River, Man.,  
where they will visit with relatives  
during the winter months.

The Castle Coombe W.M.S.  
will meet at the home of Mrs.  
Wm. Howles, on Sunday, Dec.  
14th, at 2 p.m., Christmas  
meeting.

The Women's Missionary  
Society will meet at the home  
of Mrs. McPherson, on Wed-  
nesday afternoon, December  
11, at 8 o'clock.

On a charge of alleged theft  
of wheat, Nick Orcutt was sen-  
tenced to one year in Regina  
Gaol by His Honor Judge  
Smith, at Leader, November  
21.

Rev. Father Greene, and Rev.  
Fathers Joseph, Peter and Leo  
Sullivan, left for Denver on  
Wednesday morning.

The United Church Christ-  
mas Tree, will be held in the  
Church on Thursday evening,  
December 19th. Please re-  
member the date.

A. D. Bierwagen, principal of  
the local school is on the sick  
list. Mrs. A. K. McNeill is teach-  
ing his classroom until he  
has recovered.

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All those wishing to take part  
in the Novelties Bospital which  
commences on Monday, are re-  
quested to give their names  
into the secretary, Norris Tor-  
ry, or to J. Schofield, president.  
Mrs. J. Montgomery, who has  
been visiting with her daughter,  
Mrs. F. G. Sandercock during  
the past week, returned to her  
home north of town, Wed-  
nesday.

## Inter-Provincial Action Necessary On Many Things

The matter of inter-provinci-  
al action for border line towns  
and villages are put forward by  
the Governor Board of Trade  
to Saskatchewan Govt., while  
embracing many difficulties  
should have the consideration  
of governmental authorities.  
There is but little doubt that  
the problems of the borders of  
the provinces have not received  
the attention they should. We  
who live in towns close to the  
border know this only too well.  
A good instance in this regard  
is the south ferry crossing. This  
ferry crosses probably more  
traffic than any of the ferries  
immediately east of it, and has  
probably the biggest volume of  
traffic of Alberta ferries. The

R. M. of Manitoba No. 262

## NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS

For the convenience of Rate-  
payers, the Sect. Treas., will  
attend at Empress, on Satur-  
day, December 14th with the  
Roll, for the purpose of Collec-  
tion of Taxes, and will be  
glad to meet Ratepayers at the  
Hotel on that date in connec-  
tion with any Municipal business  
they may wish to take up.  
U. Evans Sargent,  
Sec. Treas.

## Here and There

(20)  
Invited to see Montreal by the  
hotel and the tourist and con-  
vention bureau of the city, 75 members  
of the Massachusetts Hotel Men's  
Association spent a week-end re-  
cently there and were given a royal  
reception. At their president, Emil  
Coulton, said, "We came to see New  
England to Montreal, but you have  
sold Montreal and Quebec province to  
us."

During the usually quiet immi-  
gration months of December and  
January the Canadian Colonization  
Association colonized 75 families  
who took up land to the extent of  
22,724 acres. In 1927 the Canadian  
Pacific Railway, through its land  
department and its subsidiary (the  
C. C. A.) placed 2,054 families on  
Canadian farms, this including 620  
families averaging 5 persons to the  
credit of the Association and 1,434  
families on C. P. R. lands.

The movement of British youth  
to Canada promises to be consid-  
erably heavier than usual, due to new  
arrangements made with the Brit-  
ish Government. Ontario is taking  
500 boys, Manitoba 50 and the Mar-  
time Provinces and Saskatchewan  
an indeterminate number, while  
some hundreds are to be moved by  
private organizations. In all it is  
estimated some 2,500 boys will prob-  
ably be brought out under the new  
scheme this summer.

Another body of sportsmen are  
finding Montreal and Eastern Can-  
ada good places in winter as  
well as summer. The Appalachian  
Mountain Club, of Boston, picked  
the best period of the winter sea-  
son to spend a week in the Lan-  
cians mainly devoted to skiing, but  
with sleighing, dog-mushing and  
tobogganing thrown in. It was the  
first time they had ever visited this  
district in winter and they are go-  
ing to repeat it.

Resignation of Colonel Walter  
Sutherland as Canadian Pacific  
Steamship Passenger Traffic Man-  
ager has been followed by the  
appointment of William Baird, who  
was assistant European Manager  
of the Canadian Pacific Railway in  
London. Eng. Mr. Baird, whose  
appointments are effective March  
1st, joined the Allan Line steamship  
company at Glasgow as junior  
clerk in 1905 and came into C. P.  
service when that company took  
over the Allan Line in 1910.

Be keeping in Saskatchewan  
made marked progress in 1927, there  
being an increase of 45 per cent in  
the number of colonies over those  
of 1926 and an increase of 191 per  
cent in the 1927 honey crop over  
that of the previous year. The num-  
ber of spring colonies in 1927 was  
2,400 which increased to 2,925 by the  
fall count. The production of  
comb honey for the year was 65,042  
pounds and of extracted honey 450,  
000 pounds, making an average pro-  
duction per colony of 142 1/2 pounds.

nearest bridges are Medicine  
Hat and Riverhurst, with a dis-  
tance between of some hand-  
reds of miles. Citizens and  
public in general along the  
border line have to make these  
detours if it is necessary to  
cross the river for their desti-  
nations and ferries are not work-  
ing. While admitting the need  
of a permanent crossing both  
provinces have up to now shel-  
ved the issue because the cross-  
ing is on the border line, irre-

spective of the benefit to the  
public and the need for such a  
structure.

## American-Canadian Co-operation

Senator S. W. Brookhart of  
Iowa says that the United  
States and Canada control 80  
per cent of the world wheat  
crop, and there is no reason  
why a plan of orderly wheat

and other grain marketing  
should not be worked out suc-  
cessfully between them, despite  
any purchasing alliance formed  
by European consuming na-  
tions.

Reprised place by the Euro-  
pean wheat consuming coun-  
tries would be a threat to buy  
first the wheat of unorganized  
growers in Southern Hemi-  
sphere countries, Mr. Brook-  
hart stated, and to leave the  
grain of nations who are main-  
taining price-stabilizing organ-  
izations until all other require-  
ments have been met.

Because of the larger per-  
centage of the world wheat  
crop grown by Canada and the  
United States, and because of  
the way the world crop comes  
seasonably to market, this  
plan cannot be successful.  
The international trade in  
grain is a seasonal movement  
he said. Europe cannot main-  
tain a position of withholding  
purchases from the North Am-  
erican continent, because in  
season there is no other place  
to go for the grain.

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